MR. OH!
HAHA~
HI THERE

A..B..C..
WE VE HAD FIVE CLIENTS THIS MONTH..
CONSULTATION ROOM
STILL, THAT S MORE THAN USUAL..
I WONDER WHY..

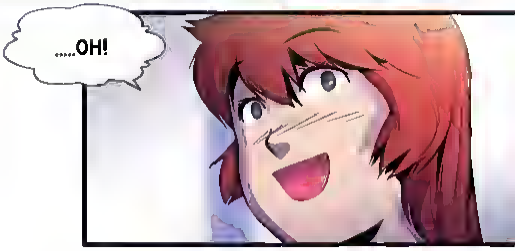
THIS TIME AGAIN-
MOST PROBLEMS ARE CONNECTED TO A PERSON'S PARENTS
A LOT OF CASES ARE LIKE THAT

H-HELLO, SIR
THIS IS THE MAN I TOLD YOU ABOUT
AH- SO SHE IS...
THE PERSON FROM THE PICTURE!?
TAP-
AH, THAT'S A SECRET..
OH, SORRY!

EVERYTHING DEPENDS
ON THE WOMAN IN THAT PICTURE FRAME

IT MAY BE THAT.
WHILE WANTING TO OBTAIN
THE SYMPATHY HE
NEVER RECEIVEO.
HE ALSO FORMEO
A CONTRAOICTORY OESIRE
TO BREAK AWAY FROM
HIS PARENTS
AHA...
THEN IS THERE
NOTHING
WE CAN OO
FOR HIM?

KNOCK
KNOCK
COME IN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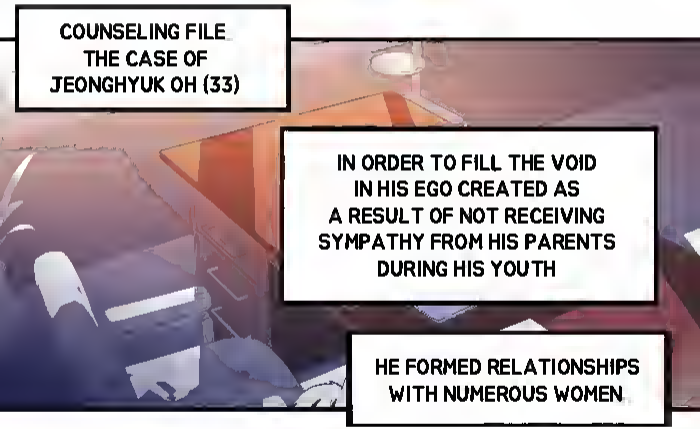
COUNSELING FILE
THE CASE OF
JEONGHYUK OH (33)
IN ORDER TO FILL THE VOID
IN HIS EGO CREATED AS
A RESULT OF NOT RECEIVING
SYMPATHY FROM HIS PARENTS
DURING HIS YOUTH
HE FORMED RELATIONSHIPS
WITH NUMEROUS WOMEN

THE EMPTY MAN
[CASE CLOSED]

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THE CHANCES ARE VERY HIGH THAT THIS WOMAN IS THE ONLY PERSON WHO ACCEPTED MR OH AS HE IS
AND WAS ABLE TO SYMPATHIZE WITH HIM
MR OH MUST'VE ALSO KNOWN THIS SUBCONSCIOUSLY

WHAT'RE YOU DOING?
COME IN AND SAY HI-

TAP

IT'S ALREADY BEEN OVER A MONTH.. I WONDER HOW MR. OH'S DOING
NO COUNSELING IS EVER COMPLETELY FINISHED
SOMETIMES, WHEN I WORK IN A CONSULTATION ROOM
I HAVE A HARD TIME FORGETTING ABOUT THE CASES THAT WEREN'T COMPLETELY CLOSED.
IT LOOKS LIKE THE PROFESSOR STILL HASN'T LET THE CASE GO EITHER..
WHAT ON EARTH IS HE THINKING..

THE ONLY REMAINING PERSON
HM-
WAS IN THE PICTURE ON HIS DESK NEXT TO THE ONE OF HIMSELF ALONE

FOR A PERSON LIKE MR. OH, TO MEET SOMEONE LIKE HER
WOULO MEAN THAT HE REGAINEO HIS LOST SENSE OF OIGNITY
ANO RESOLVEO HIS MOST BASIC PROBLEM.

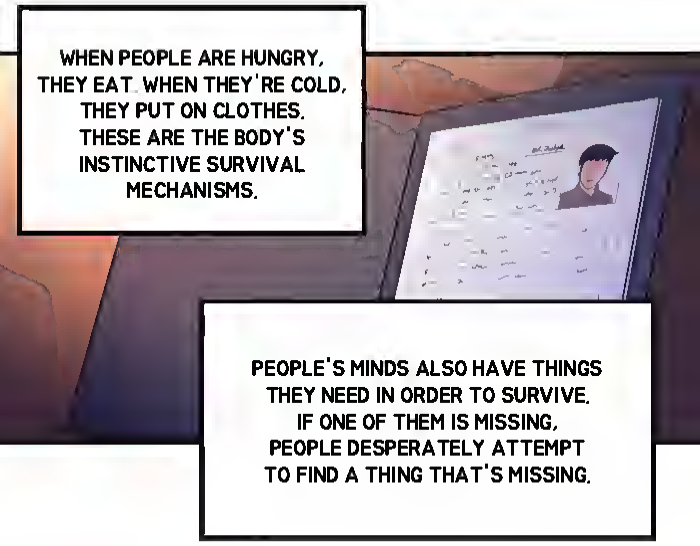
IT'S ALREADY
BEEN OVER
A MONTH

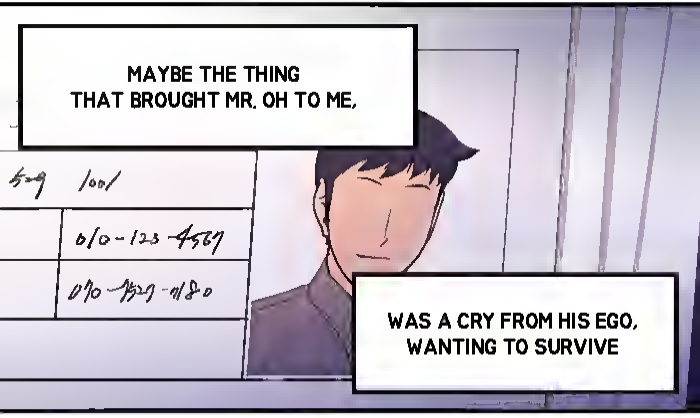
BY JONGBEOM LEE

THE EMPTY MAN
[CASE CLOSED]

IN A CASE LIKE MR OH'S. WITH MOST COUNSELORS
THEY'RE SUPPOSED TO PLAY THE PARENTS' ROLE
AND HELP HIM TO FILL THE VOID IN HIS MIND OVER A LONG PERIOD OF TIME
BUT I CAN'T DO THAT
OF COURSE YOU CAN'T....

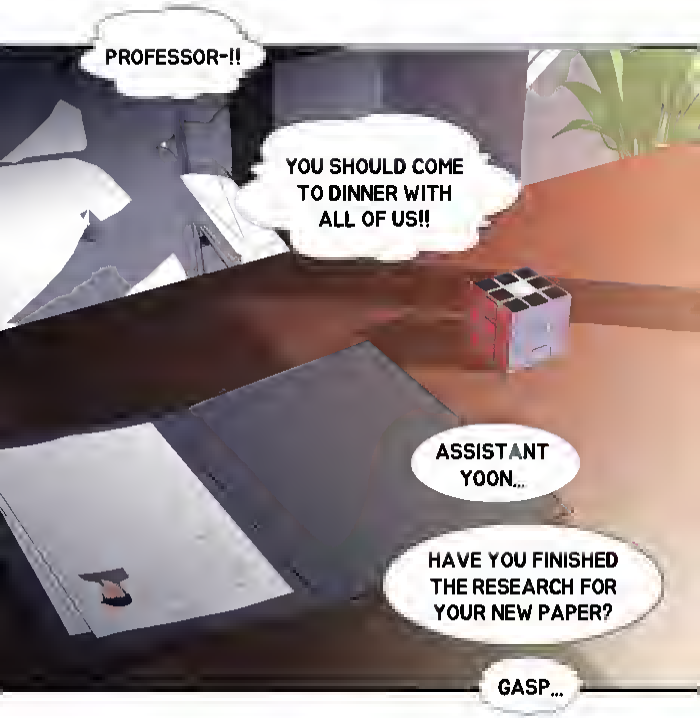
YONGGANG

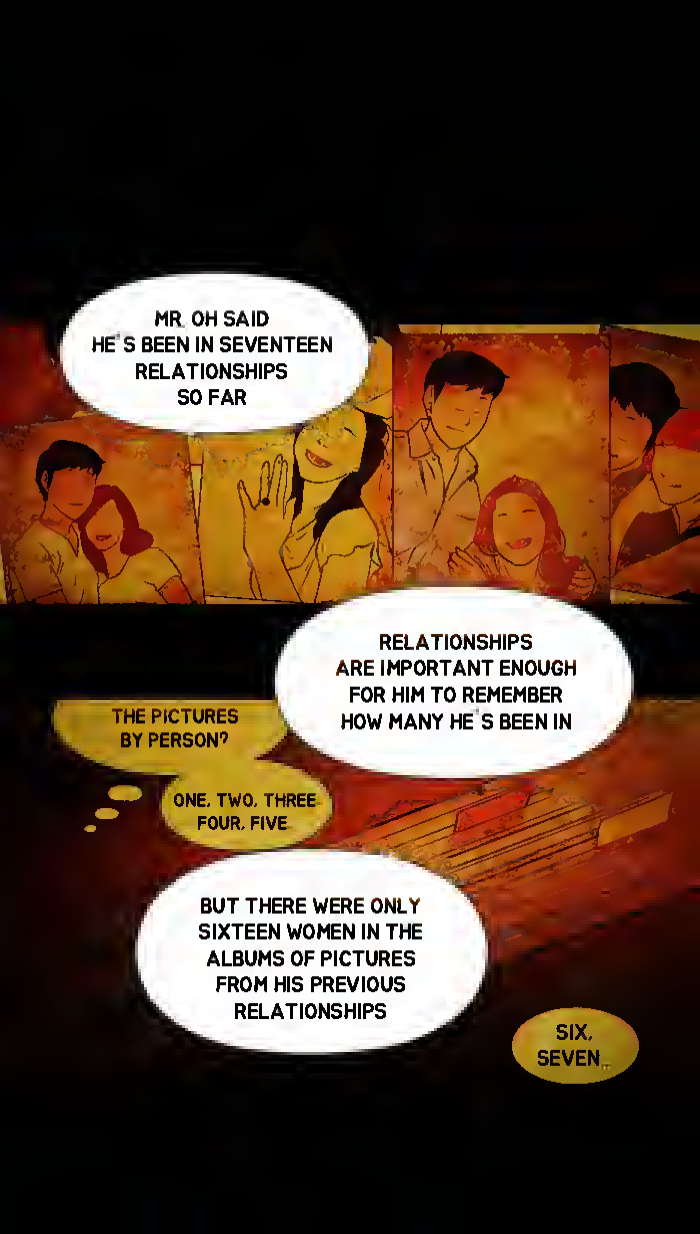

WHEN PEOPLE ARE HUNGRY, THEY EAT. WHEN THEY'RE COLD, THEY PUT ON CLOTHES. THESE ARE THE BODY'S INSTINCTIVE SURVIVAL MECHANISMS.
PEOPLE'S MINDS ALSO HAVE THINGS THEY NEED IN ORDER TO SURVIVE. IF ONE OF THEM IS MISSING, PEOPLE DESPERATELY ATTEMPT TO FIND A THING THAT'S MISSING.


MAYBE THE THING THAT BROUGHT MR. OH TO ME,
WAS A CRY FROM HIS EGO, WANTING TO SURVIVE

AND SINCE THERE WAS NO ONE AROUND
TO DO THAT ON BEHALF OF ME
I HAD TO DO SOMETHING
DOES HE MEAN PROFESSOR CHUN?
BUT HE'S ON A BUSINESS TRIP NOW

AND STARVED FROM
A LACK OF SYMPATHY.




MR. OH SAID HE'S BEEN IN SEVENTEEN RELATIONSHIPS SO FAR
RELATIONSHIPS ARE IMPORTANT ENOUGH FOR HIM TO REMEMBER HOW MANY HE'S BEEN IN
THE PICTURES BY PERSON?
ONE, TWO, THREE FOUR, FIVE
BUT THERE WERE ONLY SIXTEEN WOMEN IN THE ALBUMS OF PICTURES FROM HIS PREVIOUS RELATIONSHIPS
SIX, SEVEN..

ESPECIALLY IN CASES LIKE MR OH S WHERE A PERSON HAS GROWN UP WITHOUT THEIR PARENTS SYMPATHY ANO FEEOBACK
THEY CONTRAOICTORILY HAVE A TENOENCY OF OEPENOENCE ON THEIR PARENTS ANO OEFICIENCY AT THE SAME TIME
EVEN HIS FRONT OOOR PASSWORO IS THE OAY HIS [OECEASEO] MOTHER PASSEO AWAY
REALLY? IT S NOT HER BIRTHOAY OR..?

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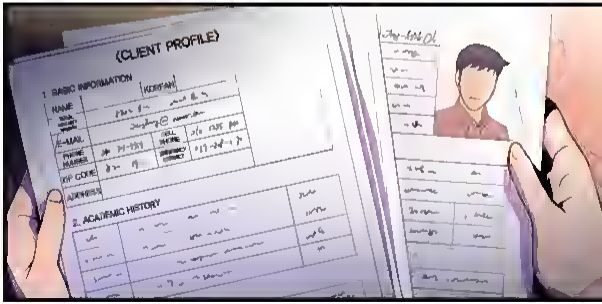
(CLIENT PROFILE)
1. BASIC INFORMATION
NAME
2. ACADEMIC HISTORY

WHAT'S SHE TALKING ABOUT, SWEETIE?
AHAHA- IT'S NOTHING-
HM?-
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WOW-
SO HOW'VE
YOU BEEN?
GOOD,
THANKS TO
YOU GUYS
PLEASE, HAVE
A SEAT-!!
WELL, FIRST-
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